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Percy Jackson And The Olympians: The Ultimate Guide (Percy Jackson & The Olympians)





Synopsis

It's the handbook no half-blood should be without: a fully illustrated, in-depth guide to gods, monsters, and all things Percy. This novelty companion to the best-selling series comes complete with trading cards, full-color diagrams, and maps, all packaged in a handy, "manual-size" POB with a crisp, magnetic flap enclosure.

Book Information

Lexile Measure: 990L (What's this?) Series: Percy Jackson & the Olympians (Book 8) Hardcover: 156 pages Publisher: Disney-Hyperion (January 18, 2010) Language: English ISBN-10: 1423121716 ISBN-13: 978-1423121718 Product Dimensions: 5.8 x 1 x 7.2 inches Shipping Weight: 13.6 ounces (View shipping rates and policies) Average Customer Review: 4.6 out of 5 stars Â See all reviews (175 customer reviews) Best Sellers Rank: #15,331 in Books (See Top 100 in Books) #7 in Books > Children's Books > Literature & Fiction > Literary Criticism & Collections #43 in Books > Children's Books > Fairy Tales, Folk Tales & Myths > Greek & Roman #767 in Books > Children's Books > Science Fiction & Fantasy > Fantasy & Magic Age Range: 10 - 14 years Grade Level: 5 - 9

Customer Reviews

The Percy Jackson & The Olympians "Ultimate Guide" is a book any fan of the series or any budding demigod should be without. Don't let the size of this book fool you. At 146 pages, it is filled to the brim with information on Camp Half-Blood, Greek mythology and the Percy Jackson book series. The cover itself is fantastic - hardbound with hologram images and a magnetic clasp. On the surface, it looks almost like a journal or diary. Open the book and you'll find richly illustrated, glossy pages filled with tons of Percy Jackson/Greek Mythology info. The book is broken down into 8 sections as follows:1 - Percy Jackson - all about Percy, including his family and his childhood2 - Life at Camp - map of Camp Half Blood, 10 signs that you may be a half-blood, a cool full color photo/drawing of the cabins, introduction to the campers and other camp characters, and various

camp info/trivia3 - Gods & Spirits - Kronos, the Olympian Gods, minor gods and spirits4 - Percy Jackson's Bestiary - the various beasts and monsters that Percy and his friends meet in the books5 - The Labyrinth - the different encounters from the Labyrinth (nice reference for book 4)6 - The Underworld - all about Hades and his domain7 - The Storehouse of the Gods - the various artifacts and curiosities from the books8 - Compendium - the mortals we meet in the books, other charactersI should also add that interspersed within this book are lots of color photographs or drawings of people, places, creatures and things. Also within this book are the various prophecies that lead to the quests that Percy and his friends go on in the 5 books. It's hard to pick a favorite part or section.I bought this book for my son, who is a huge Percy Jackson fan.

This book is intended as an companion to the "Percy Jackson & the Olympians" series. My 11-year-old son just began reading this series. He has only finished "The Lightning Thief," but plans to read more. I ordered this book for him because it looked "cool" and he LOVES it! He said that the story was sometimes confusing, and this book has helped him understand things better. We were at someone's house the other night. Their oldest daughter, who has read the entire series (also 11) LOVED this book, as well. It has really cool holographs on the cover. All four images change! There are also character cards on the inside front cover and the flap is magnetic. Very cool! I recommend this book to anyone who is a fan of the series, to anyone who plans to read all the books in the series, and to fans of fantasy. This series is really written for kids/youth. The series is about the Greek gods in today's world. My son tells me that they live on top of the Empire State Building, but humans can't see the added floors. So it is modern day fiction, with a bit of Greek mythology mixed in. The contents of this book include:Section1: Percy Jackson (Tells about Percy's life event, his parents, his friends, etc.) Describes The Furies and the Three Fates and the Prophecy. Section 2: Life at Camp (map of the half-blood camp, 10 signs you might be a half-blood, info on centaurs, pegasi, satyrs, cyclops and other characters living at the camp.)Section3: Gods & Spirits (The story of the kronos, Zeus and his brothers and children of the gods. Info on various gods, including Zeus, Poseidon, Ares, Aphtodite, Apollo, andmore.

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